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Sir:

Pursuant to rule 55(b) of the Rules of Practice in Patent Cases, Applicant(s) is/are submitting herewith a certified copy of the United Kingdom Application No. 0228354.7 filed December 5, 2002, upon which the claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 was made in the United States.

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